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M. D.'s Desire To Make Correction

The following letter has been received by the local medical board, from the Secretary of the American Medical Association, denying newspaper reports to the effect that Miriam Rubin, of Illinois, was cured of "talking sickness" by a chiropractor. The letter follows:

The peculiar form of encephalitis, which has been reported as "talking sickness," from which little eight-year-old Miriam Rubin, Wankegan, Illinois, suffers, has been the subject of a widely circulated newspaper story. This story is based on half truths. In addition, the chiropractors have commercialized the story by a widespread advertising propaganda. The Journal for March 5 contains a special article and editorial comments on the case. Pages are enclosed.

The newspapers have been deceived and misled. The public should know the facts. It is suggested that medical societies, particularly in localities in which the story has been circulated, should hold a meeting with the object of appointing a committee to call on the local press. (Where this is impossible without delay—for the action should be immediate since the story is a "live" one—the officers of the society might act, although a committee, of not less than three, would be more influential than an individual).

Undoubtedly the editors of newspapers will gladly co-operate with the local profession if the co-operation is requested in the right spirit. It would not be advisable and nothing would be accomplished to make the appeal in a spirit of anger or antagonism. The press should be approached realizing its viewpoint, which naturally differs from that of the medical profession. Simply ask that the facts be given to the public. Here are the facts:

1. The child suffered not from a strange "talking" sickness, but from a form of encephalitis with excitation.
2. The "incessant" talking was in reality intermittent, both before and after the alleged "adjustment."
3. The chiropractic "treatments" did not "cure" the disease as claimed; they had no appreciable effect on its course.
4. The nurse's record shows that the chiropractor gave "treatments" from February 12 to February 23, at which time he was dismissed, as the patient's condition gave no evidence of benefit from his "treatments." On the contrary she was complaining of severe pain along the course of the spine. Since then the family physician has had entire charge of the case.
5. The patient is not restored to health; on March 1 she still was seriously ill.

The medical profession is warranted in asking the press to give to the public the truth.

Very truly yours,
ALEX. R. CRAIG,
Secretary, American Medical Association.

When a princess gets a chance to ride in a big car she thinks she has to keep her nose up in the air all the time or you will imagine that she isn't used to motoring.

For Printing, See The Advocate.

KNOWS WHERE TO GO FOR HELP NOW

Another Nashville Woman Tells of Benefits She Got From Tanlac Three Years Ago

"Tanlac relieved me of my troubles and put me in splendid condition three years ago, and I know just where to go when I need something to build me up," said Mrs. Louise E. Sneed, of 1218 Fifth Ave., North, Nashville, Tenn.

"I suffered for years from stomach trouble and about three years ago I got into an awful condition. I couldn't eat a thing but what caused me to suffer agonies, my nerves were upset. I couldn't sleep and I suffered a great deal from rheumatism. I had a dull, heavy, languid feeling all the time, with no strength nor energy and at times my sufferings were almost unbearable.

"That was my condition when I got Tanlac and I declare the medicine just made the most wonderful change in me. My stomach stopped bothering me. I began to sleep as sound as a baby, all my aches and pains left me and I was built up in every way until I felt fine all the time, and I'm feeling that way yet. My faith has been pinned to Tanlac ever since that time. I'm getting this bottle now to tone me up in the change of seasons when Spring comes on."

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Produce Review

From 15 to 20 per cent more butter is being made than was made during the same period last year, but there has been a further advance in prices in both the consuming centers and the producing territory.

Another large shipment of butter is due in New York from Denmark about March 7 on the S. S. Hellingolav, which sailed from Copenhagen February 25 with 1,251,040 pounds of Danish butter.

This grade of butter meets with a ready sale on account of its uniformly fine quality, which is generally ascribed to the care and attention given to the milk and cream on the farms. American producers could well profit by the example of the Danish producers, as more attention to the care of cream and frequent deliveries to the stations or creameries will enable manufacturers to produce better butter.

Prices for live poultry in the large cities are generally higher, while dressed poultry is selling lower. Paying prices show but little change from last week.

Egg prices are ruling a little lower than last week, due to larger supplies, and while the demand for current use has been heavy, a few lots have been placed in storage. There is still a large supply on track in Chicago, but the market will, in all probability, fluctuate within a small range for the next few weeks.

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The Will of a State's People!

The people who are still arguing against California's action in voting an alien land measure into law, thus preventing the Japanese immigrants from holding land in that state are finding comfort in the fact that as many as one-third of the ballots were cast against the measure. In other words, only two-thirds of the voters declared against the Japs.

Irrespective of the merits of the case, which is another story, we rather look on a two to one vote in an election as a landslide.

The friends of the Japs are keeping up the agitation, as they have a right in a democracy, but there surely must be a revulsion of sentiment—a veritable revolution of opinion—to change the result of that recent referendum in California.

The majority of the people rule. Right or wrong, their expressed de-

termination is, and should be, the law. The people of California have declared themselves, and as true American citizens we should respect their decision—at the very least so far as their own state is concerned.

REAL LINGUIST

An American on the border had a gang of Mexicans who knew Spanish only. This is the way he bawled out a slacker: "When you know por la noche that you're not going to trabaja por la manana why in — don't you habla?"

Hopefulness rises like the welling subway but ebbs again like its waning tide.

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Shirt Cuff News & Facts

When you visit Washington these days you hear much more about the farms than formerly. We presume that this is because of the activity of the farm organizations and the increasing importance of the Department of Agriculture. Anyway, a reporter for the National Editorial Service, in which this newspaper is a franchise member, jotted down some facts and news on his shirt cuff that came to him by chance during a day spent in Washington. Here they are:

American farmers own 200,000

automobiles.

"Ultraclay" is the name of a new substance found in soil by scientists.

Department of Agriculture is suspicious of clover seed imported this winter.

Agricultural Department has discovered the cause of "root rot" in corn.

Sugar substitutes, like dextrose, will be allowed in curing hams and bacon.

Uncle Sam has eight million farms of which one-third are over 100 acres.

The farmers have over 21,000,000 horses.

Bureau of Soils has now surveyed one-third of the United States.

Agricultural Department is about ready to announce a method of saving fruit and vegetables on railroad cars from freezing.

Rhode Island lost one-third of its farms in the last ten years.

Perhaps all these facts are not news to farmers, but we'll bet most of them are.

ONE IS ENOUGH!

Never have more than one kind of trouble at a time. Some people bear three kinds—all they have now, all they have had and all they expect to have.

Ill For Six Months

Kuttama, Ky.—"About eighteen years ago I was bedfast off and on for about six months, suffering from female trouble. I doctored with two different doctors, but nothing seemed to do me any good, I was getting worse all the time. A friend came and told me to write to the specialists at Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y., as the doctors here couldn't do me any good, so I wrote and they told me to take Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, Golden Medical Discovery, and Pleasant Pellets according to directions, and in a short time I was well."—MRS. KATE SMITH, Route 3, Box 92. All druggists.

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